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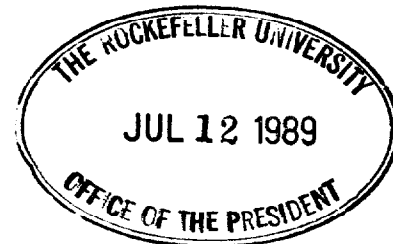
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30th June, 1989



Professor Joshua Lederberg,
President,
The Rockefeller University,
1230 York Avenue,
New York, NY 10021-6399,
United States of America.

Dear Josh,

Thank you for the information. If I am not wrong, I believe that Ade Lucas originally came from Nigeria and Ibadan University. In fact, I was External Examiner in Medicine in Ibadan for two years so we have something in common. I would certainly try to contact him when I am in New York, probably in August.

I am particularly interested in your JAMA commentary and the New York Times precis of your conference on viruses. I enjoyed the JAMA article and we in Trinidad will very much appreciate such an expanded lecture on "Medical Science, Infectious Diseases and the Unity of Humankind", incorporating the global march of viral diseases and speculation about the ultimate fate of the Aids virus. This would be very exciting.

I did not have an Update this year because of a conference I hosted on HTLV-I and which brought some one hundred and sixty international scientists to Port-of-Spain for the occasion. However, by happy coincidence, your letter arrived yesterday when I was just about to ring Samuel Thier to invite him to be one of my guests for next year's Update on January 27 and 28. I then decided to bribe him into coming by telling him that I was about to invite you to return to Trinidad to which he replied "That's great, I enjoy Josh Lederberg". He accepted the invitation!

In short, this is an invitation to you to give the feature address at next year's Update and I am keeping my fingers crossed that you and Marguerite will be able to come from

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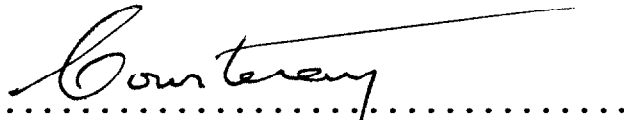
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Thursday January 25 to Monday January 29 as we so look forward to having you again with us.

But it does not end there. I am also inviting Marguerite to give a lecture on a topic of her interest and applicable to this society also. Maybe if she gives me a list, I will choose the most appropriate one.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Courtenay", with a long horizontal line extending from the end of the signature.

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COURTENAY BARTHOLOMEW M.D.
Professor of Medicine